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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY

Meat Inspection Granted

4. United Sausage Co., 1605 Columbus Avenue, Boston, Mass.
716. Louis H. Rettberg (Inc.), Union Stock Yards, Baltimore, Md.
986. Benjamin Eskolsky, 29 Scammel Street, New York, N. Y.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn

3–AH. Swift & Co., Worcester, Mass.
272. E. H. Wetherbee (Inc.), St. Paul, Minn.
392. Humphrey Supply Co., Reno, Nev.
392–A. Humphrey Supply Co., Reno, Nev.
401. Chicago Packing Co., Chicago, Ill.
529. Geikler Bros., Philadelphia, Pa.
915. Greisler Bros., Philadelphia, Pa.
941. H. D. Reese, Philadelphia, Pa.
943. Reading & Dickison, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Meat Inspection Extended

10. J. S. Hoffman Co., Chicago, Ill., to include Baker Packing Co., Dime Packing Co., and Rival Packing Co.

246. Keefe-LeStourgeon Co., Arkansas City, Kans., to include Henneberry & Co.

Change in Name of Official Establishment

13. Jacob Batt, 223 Callowhill Street, Philadelphia, Pa., instead of Jake Batt.

794. Jacob Batt, 307 Callowhill Street, Philadelphia, Pa., instead of Morris Cherkasky.

299. E. M. Salisbury, 1217 Eddy Street, Providence, R. I., instead of Crown Food Products Corporation.

538. Walter Hutwelker (Inc.), 14–22 Hall Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., instead of Chas. Hutwelker.

787. The Filbert-Kuhlemann Co., and Kuhlemann Co., 2961 Frederick Avenue, Baltimore, Md., instead of Kuhlemann Co.

Change in Address of Official in Charge

W. F. Quigley, care Manchester Rendering Co., Manchester, N. H., instead of care Swift & Co.

Dr. N. L. Townsend, 25 Federal Building, Topeka, Kans., instead of 22 Federal Building.

Change in Official in Charge

Dr. H. Busman succeeds Dr. W. N. Neil as inspector in charge, Chicago, Ill.

Dr. J. S. Jenison succeeds Doctor Busman as inspector in charge, Omaha, Nebr.

Dr. C. F. Payne succeeds Doctor Jenison as inspector in charge, National Stock Yards, Ill.

Dr. T. A. Shipley succeeds Doctor Payne as inspector in charge, Denver, Colo.

Dr. E. M. Nighbert is in charge of swine-parasite investigations, care Swift & Co., Moultrie, Ga., instead of Queen City, Mo. (The Queen City, Mo., station has been discontinued.)

Dr. J. B. Reidy succeeds Doctor Yoder as inspector in charge, tuberculosis eradication, Harrisburg, Pa.

Dr. G. R. Caldwell has been designated acting inspector in charge, Augusta, Me., succeeding Doctor Reidy.

Dr. Hartwell Robbins, Washington, N. C., succeeds Dr. W. McPherson as inspector in charge, Jackson, Miss.

Dr. S. H. Still, of the Washington, N. C., force, has been designated acting inspector in charge, Washington, N. C., succeeding Doctor Robbins.

NOTICE REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION

SHIPPER'S CERTIFICATE FOR UNMARKED MEATS

The bureau is informed that unmarked meats in cars bearing department seals are forwarded under bills of lading, waybills, or other papers in which are incorporated the form of shipper's certificate required in section 5, Regulation 25. The regulations do not permit the use of this form of shipper's certificate or the incorporation of the certificate in shipping papers for unmarked meats. Shipper's certificates in duplicate separate and apart from other documents must be furnished by official establishments for the shipment of cars containing unmarked meats, as specified in section 6, regulation 25, B. A. I. Order 211 (Revised).

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, MARCH, 1926

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats	Swine
Baltimore	7,188	2,129	328		59,005
Brooklyn	5,848	9,309	24,244		
Buffalo	7,368	5,421	7,339	2	64,578
Chicago	180,498	67,511	287,919		464,323
Cincinnati	10,983	8,981	3,270	5	71,578
Cleveland	7,945	9,714	12,115		71,800
Denver	7,934	2,123	23,907		47,946
Detroit	7,426	9,168	4,463		81,661
Fort Worth	26,581	16,655	9,593	261	24,600
Indianapolis	15,819	4,703	2,191	2	89,266
Jersey City	4,500	10,544	28,357		51,020
Kansas City	84,303	22,726	113,822	6	184,322
Milwaukee	11,681	61,552	3,710		70,668
National Stock Yards	30,819	5,889	19,510	2	115,546
New York	27,946	46,032	135,030	30	90,909
Omaha	88,218	9,288	180,454	13	170,080
Philadelphia	8,849	8,694	14,824	1	87,879
St. Louis	13,060	4,663	3,789		148,654
Sioux City	34,457	4,908	31,227		147,049
South St. Joseph	32,263	7,647	128,927		76,986
South St. Paul	43,662	70,031	11,942		239,130
All other establishments	128,197	75,987	115,542	504	1,205,243
Total: March, 1926	785,545	463,675	1,162,503	826	3,562,243
March, 1925	736,313	466,092	984,254	831	3,299,344
9 months ended March, 1926	7,692,802	3,915,081	9,320,249	35,111	30,777,663
9 months ended March, 1925	7,562,225	3,734,942	9,162,063	23,338	38,505,267

Horses slaughtered, March, 1926, 3,493. Inspection of lard, 158,738,120 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 46,590,730 inspection pounds; sausage chopped, 59,868,544 inspection pounds. Corresponding inspections for March, 1925: Lard, 122,634,684 inspection pounds; compound and other substitutes, 50,825,784 inspection pounds; sausage chopped, 55,760,394 inspection pounds. (These totals do not represent actual production, as the same product may have been inspected and recorded more than once in the process of manufacture.)

CAUSES FOR CONDEMNATION OF CARCASSES, FEBRUARY, 1926

Cause	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Swine
Emaciation	568	194	112	82
Hog cholera				1,283
Inflammatory diseases	866	214	597	2,037
Immaturity		400		
Tuberculosis	6,174	55		4,925
All other causes	959	193	619	3,296
Total	8,567	1,056	1,328	11,623

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry during March, 1926, with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals

Country of export	Cattle	Swine	Sheep	Goats
Mexico	6,613	196	1	1
Canada	15,498	2,133	18	
Great Britain	106			
Total: March, 1926	22,217	2,329	19	1
March, 1925	11,594	19,075	6,436	6
9 months ended March, 1926	218,330	28,172	57,074	67
9 months ended March, 1925	151,743	64,983	78,033	2,802

Imports of meat and meat food products

Country of export	Fresh and refrigerated		Canned and cured	Other products	Total weight
	Beef	Other			
	Pounds	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*	*Pounds*
Argentina	62,118	103,632	1,441,250	326,300	1,933,300
Canada	413,976	729,590	104,194	60,316	1,308,076
Uruguay			598,770		598,770
Other countries	525		30,127	123,231	153,883
Total: March, 1926	476,619	833,222	2,174,341	509,847	3,994,029
March, 1925	204,455	581,007	1,164,910	121,516	2,071,888
9 months ended March, 1926	8,481,076	8,037,826	11,456,147	2,444,890	30,419,939
9 months ended March, 1925	4,195,521	7,674,677	8,278,305	2,128,836	22,277,339

Condemned in March, 1926: Beef, 1,350 pounds.
Refused entry: Pork, 410 pounds.

FOREIGN MEAT-INSPECTION OFFICIALS

The following are additional names and facsimile signatures of foreign national Government officials authorized to sign and issue certificates of inspection for meat and meat food products offered for importation into the United States:

Country and name	Signature
ENGLAND	
W. Hanna	W. Hanna
A. A. Mussen	A. A. Mussen

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH STATES, MARCH, 1926

State	Tuberculin tests during month			Total to date			Inspector in charge	State official
	Herds or lots	Cattle tested	Cattle reacted	Once tested free herds	Accredited herds	Herds under supervision		
Ala	97	5,049	6	2,831	214	3,614	R. E. Jackson	C. A. Cary, Auburn.
Ariz	246	3,912	59	5,612	19	6,897	F. L. Schneider	S. E. Douglas, Phoenix.
Ark	42	727	1	2,896	25	3,887	H. L. Fry	J. H. Bux, Little Rock.
Calif	208	8,554	167	3,005	82	3,199	R. Snyder	J. P. Iverson, Sacramento.
Colo	418	2,344	25	1,259	88	2,308	W. E. Howe	C. G. Lamb, Denver.
Conn	276	4,865	420	776	845	2,294	R. L. Smith	J. M. Whittlesey, Hartford.
Del	171	1,802	153	2,197	1,147	3,970	W. G. Middleton	O. A. Newton, Bridgeville.
D. C	1	204	0	253	26	286	J. A. Kiernan	
Fla	149	3,948	47	6,075	390	6,891	J. G. Fish	J. V. Knapp, Tallahassee.
Ga	327	2,983	42	8,991	39	9,871	A. L. Hirleman	P. F. Bahnsen, Atlanta.
Idaho	137	5,706	19	22,436	78	25,581	W. A. Sullivan	W. C. Nye, Boise.
Ill	5,847	72,566	15,390	81,158	1,403	100,154	J. J. Lintner	F. A. Laird, Springfield.
Ind	3,524	32,215	832	58,892	15,653	76,369	J. E. Gibson	R. C. Julien, Indianapolis.
Iowa	8,104	127,909	3,381	61,312	6,245	114,100	J. A. Barger	M. G. Thornburg, Des Moines.
Kans	1,829	20,002	169	28,104	1,010	30,147	N. L. Townsend	J. H. Mercer, Topeka.
Ky	1,116	6,333	35	55,287	51	55,554	W. F. Biles	W. H. Simmons, Frankfort.
La	227	2,674	31	3,307	31	3,566	A. F. Staub	E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge.
Me	460	4,589	51	15,895	3,010	19,985	J. B. Reidy	H. M. Tucker, Augusta
Md	820	9,371	473	7,095	1,981	13,782	E. B. Simonds	James B. George, Baltimore.
Mass	122	2,862	396	823	410	2,053	E. A. Crossman	L. H. Howard, Boston.
Mich	6,617	46,955	1,239	79,961	129	84,424	T. S. Rich	H. W. Norton, jr., Lansing
Minn	1,459	37,140	757	22,499	7,596	33,199	W. J. Fretz	C. E. Cotton, St. Paul.
Miss	70	1,620	7	2,017	135	2,256	W. McPherson	P. P. Garner, Jackson.
Mo	229	3,764	18	55,791	893	59,100	Ralph Graham	H. A. Wilson, Jefferson City.
Mont	284	5,820	64	21,424	66	22,236	J. W. Murdoch	W. J. Butler, Helena.
Nebr	4,001	53,734	551	29,641	193	31,265	W. C. Herrold	C. H. Hays, Lincoln.
Nev	92	1,873	13	2,343	11	3,432	L. C. Butterfield	Edward Records, Reno.
N. H	192	2,720	85	2,069	2,166	4,402	E. A. Crossman	A. L. Felker, Concord.
N. J	229	2,929	147	1,678	824	2,724	W. G. Middleton	J. H. McNeil, Trenton.
N. Mex	24	176	1	3,507	13	3,795	F. L. Schneider	Mat. Keenan, Albuquerque.
N. Y	3,640	41,249	3,748	33,819	19,928	68,370	H. B. Leonard	E. T. Faulder, Albany.
N. C	2,440	7,382	40	187,946	198	201,224	W. C. Dendinger	Wm. Moore, Raleigh.
N. Dak	2,178	36,217	487	26,839	3,763	34,444	H. H. Cohenour	W. F. Crewe, Bismarck.
Ohio	2,937	24,471	737	61,075	902	66,550	A. J. De Fosset	F. A. Zimmer, Columbus.
Okla	40	1,135	3	88	272	383	H. Grafke	J. A. Whitehurst, Oklahoma City.
Oreg	1,519	11,477	149	71,428	1,088	72,587	S. B. Foster	W. H. Lytle, Salem.
Pa	5,225	48,504	4,527	58,505	4,074	71,060	E. C. Yoder	T. E. Munce, Harrisburg.
R. I	10	254	75	35	41	134	E. A. Crossman	T. E. Robinson, Providence.
S. C	261	1,448	3	7,536	174	7,771	W. K. Lewis	W. K. Lewis, Columbia.
S. Dak	1,577	33,606	674	4,474	579	5,795	J. O. Wilson	M. W. Ray, Pierre.
Tenn	1,029	8,540	62	17,865	233	18,230	H. M. O'Rear	W. B. Lincoln, Nashville.
Tex	53	1,163	15	37	261	362	H. L. Darby	N. F. Williams, Fort Worth.
Utah	385	2,138	25	10,260	93	11,236	F. E. Murray	W. H. Hendricks, Salt Lake City.
Vt	571	9,970	222	1,952	3,928	8,509	L.H. Adams	Edward H. Jones, Montpelier.
Va	476	8,867	175	5,994	11,899	8,144	R. E. Brookbank	J. G. Ferneyhough, Richmond.
Wash	1,598	18,509	361	41,142	75	44,208	J. C. Exline	Robert Prior, Olympia.
W. Va	658	4,449	83	9,611	717	10,403	H. M. Newton	John W. Smith, Charleston.
Wis	4,367	80,043	9,138	68,219	7,440	79,480	J. S. Healy	John D. Jones, jr., Madison.
Wyo	11	285	3	6,546	5	7,298	John T. Dallas	A. W. French, Cheyenne.
Total	66,293	815,053	45,106	1,202,505	90,443	1,447,529		

LICENSES FOR VETERINARY BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS

United States veterinary license No. 39, dated April 3, 1926, was issued to the Purity Serum Co., West of Stock Yards, Sioux City, Iowa, for blackleg aggressin.

United States veterinary license No. 41, dated April 22, 1926, was issued to the Kinsley laboratories (Inc.), 400–406 New Centre Building, Fifteenth Street and Troost Avenue, Kansas City, Mo., for keratitis mixed bacterin (bovine) and enteritis bacterin (swine).

United States veterinary license No. 107, dated April 22, 1926, was issued to the Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories (Inc.), 520 West Pennway, Kansas City, Mo., and Southwest Corner Shawnee Road and Forest Avenue, Kansas City, Kans., for antimastitis serum (bovine).

United States veterinary license No. 164, dated April 8, 1926, was issued to J. F. DeVine Laboratories (Inc.), 34½ Street, John Street, Goshen, N. Y., for hemorrhagic-septicemia bacterin (avian), hemorrhagic-septicemia bacterin (bovine), and hemorrhagic-septicemia bacterin (ovine).

LICENSES TERMINATED

United States veterinary license No. 39, issued May 29, 1924, and February 13, 1925, to The Purity Serum Co., Sioux City, Iowa, were terminated April 3, 1926, and license No. 39, dated April 3, was issued as indicated above for the product listed.

United States veterinary license No. 163, issued July 6, 1921, to the Fidelity Supply Co., Oklahoma City, Okla., was terminated March 2, 1926.

ANTI-HOG-CHOLERA SERUM AND HOG-CHOLERA VIRUS PRODUCED UNDER VETERINARY LICENSES, MARCH, 1926

	Cubic centimeters
Ordinary serum	40, 594, 789
Clear serum	11, 256, 746
Total	51, 851, 535
Simultaneous virus	1, 464, 231
Hyperimmunizing virus	10, 048, 710

PERMITTED DISINFECTANT

In accordance with the provisions of B. A. I. Order 292, governing the interstate movement of livestock, the bureau has granted permission to Beebe Laboratories (Inc.), of St. Paul, Minn., for the distribution of "Crestall Dip" under the name of "Coliseptol," in the general disinfection of cars, yards, and other premises. "Coliseptol" is identical with "Crestall Dip," manufactured by Baird & McGuire (Inc.), Boston, Mass.

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATION OF LAWS

Penalties and fines have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the bureau, as follows:

Livestock Quarantine Law

U. G. Butler, Morenci, Mich., driving 9 cattle interstate without tuberculin test, $100 fine.

Great Northern Railway Co., interstate transportation of 8 cattle without tuberculin test, $100 fine.

New York Central Railroad Co., interstate transportation of infectious car, $100 fine.

Wm. E. Reilly, Wadsworth, Ill., interstate driving of 15 tuberculin reactors without certificate, $100 fine.

Twenty-Eight-Hour Law

Alabama Great Southern Railroad Co., $100 penalty.
Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co., $100 penalty.
Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Co., $100 penalty.
Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. (3 cases), $300 penalties.
Northern Pacific Railway Co., $100 penalty.
Pennsylvania Railroad Co. (4 cases), $400 penalties.
St. Louis Merchants Bridge Terminal Railway Co., $100 penalty.
Southern Railway Co. (3 cases), $500 penalties.
Wabash Railway Co., $100 penalty.

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Department Bulletin 1407. Some Results of Soft-Pork Investigations. By O. G. Hankins and N. R. Ellis, Animal Husbandry Division, and agricultural experiment stations of 11 Southern States. Pp. 68, figs. 16.

Farmers' Bulletin 781 (Revised). By Dr. John R. Mohler, Chief of Bureau, and Henry J. Washburn, Pathological Division. Pp. 14, figs. 3.

Relative Toxicity of the Lupine Alkaloids. By J. F. Couch, Pathological Division. In Journal of Agricultural Research, vol. 32, No. 1, January 1, 1926. Pp. 51 to 67. A–106.

Nutritive Value of the Protein in Veal and Calf Sweetbreads, etc. By Ralph Hoagland and George G. Snider, Biochemic Division. In Journal of Agricultural Research, vol. 32, No. 7, April 1, 1926. Pp. 679 to 688. A–107.

Amendment 1 to B. A. I. Order 211 (Revised). Regulations governing the meat inspection of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Amendment 3 to B. A. I. Order 286. Regulations governing the sanitary handling and control of hides, fleshings, parings, etc., offered for entry into the United States, effective July 1, 1926. Pp. 2.

Amendment 11 to B. A. I. Order 294, placing the following-named counties in the modified accredited areas for a period of 3 years from April 1, 1926: Gem and Lemhi, Idaho; Cleveland and Nash, N. C.; Clatsop and Polk, Oreg.; Miner, S. Dak.; and Wood, W. Va. P. 1 (mimeographed).

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